## PROCLAMATION

BY THE

## Covernor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14 of the Texas Constitution, I, William P. Clements, Jr., Governor of Texas, do hereby veto House Bill 2119 because of the following objections:

House Bill 2119 was amended in the Senate to add a provision prohibiting the City of Houston from housing prisoners overnight. I can see no reason for this provision, and I am advised that it would result in massive dislocations in the City of Houston's law enforcement and criminal justice system. As a result of this unfortunate amendment, I am reluctantly compelled to disapprove this otherwise acceptable bill.

The Secretary of State shall take notice of this action and notify the Legislature.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 19th day of June, 1987.



William P. Clements, Yr. Governor of Texas

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